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Advanced Studies Syllabus 2026-2027 Taleem Department Lajna Imaillah UK



INTRODUCTION

By the Grace of Allah, the Advanced Studies programme has been successfully continuing for the past few years. This year the Taleem department of Lajna Imaillah UK is once again offering the Advanced Studies course to Lajna members. The course will commence in November 2026 and end in August 2027. The Taleem Advanced Studies programme is based on self-study. At the end of the course candidates will sit a written examination based on the syllabus. In addition, each candidate will be required to complete a research paper on comparative religious studies. Candidates are encouraged to allocate a minimum of three hours per week to studying the course material.

AIMS AND OBJECTIVES

The aim of the course is to enhance knowledge and understanding in the field of religious education.

The main objectives are:

- To gain knowledge of the subject matter and background of the prescribed Surah of the Holy Quran.
- To study the selected Ahadith and understand their detailed explanation.
- To become well versed and well informed in Islamic beliefs as well as the beliefs of other faiths.
- To develop an in-depth understanding of the prescribed book of The Promised Messiah (as).
- To develop independent learning skills.

Essential components of the course

1. QURANIC STUDIES

In-depth study of **Surah Yusuf** (Chapter 12).

English from 5 Volume Commentary. Link: [Online Book](#)

Urdu from Tafseer-e-Kabeer. Link: [Online Book](#)

2. HADITH

Study of Ahadith **No 17, 18, 19, and 20**, with detailed explanation from 'Forty Gems of Beauty' by Hazrat Mirza Bashir Ahmad sahib (RA).

Links: [English Book](#), [Urdu Book](#)

3. BOOK OF THE PROMISED MESSIAH (AS)

Jesus in India: Jesus' Deliverance from the Cross and Journey to India.

Links: [English Audio Book](#) , [English Online Book](#)

In Urdu: 'Masih Hindustan Mein' - see Ruhani Khazain Volume 15

Links: [Urdu Audio Book](#) , [Urdu Online Book](#)

4. MALFUZAT OF THE PROMISED MESSIAH (AS):

Malfuzat Volume III pages 63 - 114

Link: [English Online Book](#)

For Urdu see Malfuzat Volume II pages 56 - 100

Link: [Urdu Online Book](#)

5. RESEARCH PAPER

As part of the Comparative Study of Religions, candidates are required to undertake a research project and submit a written paper on **the Significance of Prayer and Worship in Islam in comparison with one of the following religions: Christianity, Hinduism or Judaism.**

The research paper should provide a clear and well-structured comparison, supported by references from Jamaat literature. Maximum word count for the paper is between 1500 to 2000 words including references and must be submitted by 31st July 2027.

ASSESSMENTS

Candidates will have a written examination in August 2027 based on the Taleem Advanced Studies syllabus. Date for the exam will be confirmed nearer the time.

Mark scheme for the Paper is as follows:

Written Exam: Total marks 100

Surah Yusuf – 30 marks

Hadith – 20 marks

Jesus in India: – 30 marks

Malfuzat – 20 marks

Research Paper: Total marks 100

